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Samuel Smiley's Sayings.

Question. What do I think of Governor Cox's exposure of the Republican scheme for a \$15,000,000 campaign fund?

Answer. Well, sir, it looks as if the party had revised Lincoln's famous saying by leaving out a "government of the people, for the people," and going it alone on a government of buy the people.

I think they might revise another saying of Lincoln's to the effect that while "you can fool all the people some of the time" you can't buy all the people any of the time.

While Governor Cox presented the documentary proof which amounted to a written confession by the Republican financiers, I do not know whether or not he was the first to get hold of it, especially that letter of instruction to collectors. "Boys, get the money." I would not be surprised to hear that an advance copy of that fell into the hands of the Hon. William Barnes, Jr.

In any event, he was the first of the Old Guard to return to "normalcy."

Republican Treasurer Upham says that Governor Cox's figures are only quotas and that the Governor doesn't know the difference between a quota and a budget. I think he does, and I think everybody else does—it's graft.

Chairman Hays says the financial plan of his party is based on the Red Cross plan. Bill Barnes must have known this in advance, too. Before the Republican national army took the field, Barnes was out getting first aid.

In calling his plan the Red Cross plan, I trust that Chairman Hays hasn't forgotten that all the Red Cross quotas were filled. I hear that Boston will exceed its quota two and a half times, and out in Sagebrush, Ariz., and Devil's Hole, Idaho, the boys who want to get back to "normalcy" are digging. Out there they think that "normalcy" means the old price, two for a quarter.

Speaking of Boston reminds me of that local financial genius who started out with a budget and a quota. His budget was what came in and his quota was the sky.

In one way I feel sorry for Ponzi. He started too soon and in the wrong game. He might have had a grand political career as financial director of "the party of great moral ideas."

Under the Harding-Old Guard plan for a Syndicated Presidency, he would make a fine candidate for Secretary of the Treasury. If the "Big Interests" could break up the Federal Reserve Bank act, I believe they would be liberal and be satisfied with 50 per cent.

Poor Ponzi! He was only a piker, but of course he couldn't know what kind of competition he was going to have. He probably knows by this time, however, that he didn't get all the "sucker money."

New Fish Hatchery.

The new state fish hatchery at Springfield, Mo., will be formally dedicated Friday, October 1, according to announcement received here from the Springfield chamber. All Missourians are invited to attend the dedication.

The feature of the ceremonies will be an address by Gov. Gardner. Talks will also be made by Timothy Birmingham, State Game and Fish Commissioner, and a representative of the local Chamber of Commerce.

A fish fry will be held at Sequoia Park, the new hatchery site at Springfield, following the dedication. About 5000 fish will be served to the guests.

The new hatchery was secured through the efforts of the Springfield Chamber of Commerce for that city. The price paid for Sequoia Park, which is one of the most beautiful in the Ozark district, was \$25,000. It is proposed to stock the hatchery with small-mouthed black bass, jack salmon trout and other game fish. The fish will be distributed by the state among various streams.

Why 10,000,000 Women Cannot Aid Harding.

(Capital News.)

No woman in America is better fitted to speak for her sisters than Mrs. Phillip North Moore of St. Louis, a Republican, former General Federation of Women's Clubs, president of a delegation of the National Council of Women to a great international congress of Women in Christiana and, for years, a leader in women's activities in America. In a copyrighted interview with Mrs. Moore, published in the New York Times, there is ample food for thought by those who believe, with Senator Harding, that the covenant of the League of Na-

tions should be scrapped simply because Woodrow Wilson assisted in its framing and that a substitute covenant should be adopted. Here are Mrs. Moore's words:

"There are no sufficient reasons why the present covenant should not be adopted, with reservations making the position of America clear, and there are a great many reasons why other countries would not agree to dispense with the covenant in order to accept Mr. Harding's new league."

"The peace structure has been built up with too much patient care to permit its being readily torn down to make way for some entirely new edifice which has as yet nobody's complete approval."

Mrs. Moore is correct. The world has had other examples of partisanship amuck but never such a terrible example. Never before has America been betrayed by a group of men in high political positions perfectly willing to see America dishonored rather than agree to a covenant which was not framed by a man of their own political breed. Mrs. Moore sounds fair warning that women will not tolerate such biased partisanship:

"Unless he (Senator Harding) modifies that attitude and declares himself ready to accept the League principle, it will be impossible for 10,000,000 women represented in the National Council, pledged as they are to the League, to support him."

And Mrs. Moore, remember is a Republican.

Biased followers of Senator Harding will find scant consolation in her words.

Fall Army Worm Injures Crops.

Numerous complaints are being received by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture regarding Army Worms on various crops. The pest is not the real army worm, which is often so destructive in June, according to L. Haseman, but the fall army worm. It appears in destructive numbers only in the fall.

The pest is a dark caterpillar with light stripes running lengthwise along either side. In central Missouri the worms were about half grown on September 10 and in two more weeks will probably have largely completed their heavy feeding.

Grass, young alfalfa, cane, late corn and other crops are being most heavily damaged. In some cases the worms tend to migrate, to a rule they do not migrate so readily as the real army worm. Where migration occurs or where the crop will permit a weighted brush or drag may be used to kill the pest, or a ditch trap may be established. However, since the pest usually does not migrate extensively the poison bran bait used for the true army worm is the most effective remedy. It is prepared by mixing dry 50 pounds of bran and 2 pounds of white arsenic or Paris Green and then moistening this with about 7 gallons of water to which 4 quarts of cheap molasses and the juice and chopped up rinds of 6 lemons have been added. Sow this broadcast over fields where the pest is working or sow it in strips in advance of the worms where they are moving. This is more effective and much cheaper than to spray the crop with an arsenical solution. Where parasitic flies are laying eggs on the worms they will help to reduce the number of worms and injury.

From The State Committee.

The Women's State Committee is getting its work well under way at the Democratic Headquarters, 801 Pontiac Building, St. Louis, where Mrs. J. W. McKnight, State Chairman, and Mrs. Kate S. Morrow, State Secretary, are pushing the organization work and directing the work of the speakers in the various counties. They plan to have women organizers visit every county in the State during the next two weeks.

Mrs. Burris Jenkins, of Kansas City, Missouri's National Committee woman, attended the State Committee meeting at Jefferson City Tuesday, and came to St. Louis where she spent the remainder of the week at Democratic Headquarters. Mrs. Jenkins is a member of the State Publicity Committee. She urges every woman in the vicinity of St. Joseph, Kansas City and Joplin to hear Gov. Cox and Hon. Robert Goldsmith, who accompanies him, and talks on the League of Nations, when they visit their section. Mr. Goldsmith was one of the advisors of the Versailles conference, and is an expert on the League question. He will be glad to give the women advice and explain the questions regarding it. Mrs.

Jenkins also urges the women to form Cox-Roosevelt Clubs and League of Nations Clubs, the latter for non-partisan women. She speaks in glowing terms of the splendid work being done by the Young Men's and Young Women's Clubs of Springfield, which are forceful factors in Greene County.

Breckinridge Long, Democratic nominee for United States Senator, is busy campaigning through several Congressional Districts in behalf of the entire ticket.

The first three days of last week called for a campaign through the Thirteenth Congressional District with Senator M. Buford, Democratic nominee for Lieutenant-Governor, and Arthur T. Brewster, Democratic candidate for Congress. Their itinerary follows: September 20 Ironton and Fredericktown; September 21, Farmington, Desloge and Bonne Terre, September 22, De Soto, Hillsboro and Festus.

Long then went to North Missouri for the following itinerary: September 23, New Cambria and Macon; September 24, Edina and Kirksville; September 25, Lancaster and Unionville; September 27, Milan and Linneus; September 28, Chillicothe and Cameron. On September 29 Long will join Governor Cox at St. Joseph.

Lieutenant-Governor Wallace Crossley of Warrensburg, has been appointed chairman of the publicity committee of the Democratic State Committee. Governor Crossley has long been identified with newspaper work.

The subcommittee of the Democratic State Committee has recommended the ousting of John P. Byrne and Frank O'Neill as members of the committee, and the discharge of E. J. Hogan, Jr., as a deputy beverage inspector because of the cowardly unprovoked assault on former chairman Ben M. Neale at Jefferson City.

"Hyde and the Bull Moose" are in the saddle, riding over regular Republicans like me, who have always fought the party battles, they are surely riding to a fall. I intend to tell the Republicans how fellows like Hyde attempted to destroy the party in 1912." This is what Liv Morse, Republican leader of the Third District, thinks of Arthur M. Hyde, the Republican nominee for Governor.

John M. Atkinson, Democratic nominee for Governor, completed an aggressive campaign last week by speaking at Kirksville to a large and enthusiastic crowd.

Atkinson campaigned through Grundy, Sullivan and Adair counties and everywhere was greeted by large and appreciative audiences.

The Democratic nominee outlined the constructive program he plans to follow as chief executive for the State.

"I am in favor of a modern State executive budget for making all appropriations of State moneys, thereby adopting economy in our State expenditures." From speech by John M. Atkinson, Democratic nominee for Governor, at Kirksville.

The Democratic State Convention at Jefferson City adopted a sensible constructive platform on National and State issues and one which should appeal to every fair minded man and woman in Missouri. It was written in the interest of all of the people and is right on all issues.

Vice-President Marshall will spend four days campaigning in Missouri. He will open his Missouri tour at Moberly on the afternoon of September 27. That night he will speak at Hannibal. September 29 he will speak at Fayette and Columbia, September 29 at Clinton and Nevada and will close at Excelsior Springs September 30.

Editors and U. S. Bonds.

Missouri editors in attendance at the 5th annual convention of the Missouri Press Association, whom the editor of the Savings Herald had the pleasure of meeting, spoke kindly of the work the Savings Division of the Treasury Department was doing in endeavoring to stabilize the Liberty Bond and Victory Note market, and to keep interest aroused in the other United States securities issued on the market.

Dr. Henry M. Whelpley, editor of Meyer Brothers Druggist, one of the most influential trade papers in the United States, was keenly alive to the situation. "Never a month elapses," said Dr. Whelpley, "that I do not use some of the material issued by your publicity department in our journal, and augment this with editorial comment of my own. "And I personally am practicing that which I preach. I am putting

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Walter Williams, Dean of the school of Journalism of the State University at Columbia, is also vastly interested in the financial situation.

"Just how people can doubt the value of the bonds issued by the United States Government is beyond my ken," said Mr. Williams. "But I do know that the bonds are selling below par, and the thoughtless are apparently losing faith in their government. Why is there any need of telling the public that U. S. bonds are the best investment on earth is beyond me, but I realize the necessity of the campaign being conducted by the Treasury Department."

Many of the editors deplored the fact that the scarcity of paper and of labor made it impossible for them to print as much of the information on the U. S. Bond situation as they would like.

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E. J. Lambrechts, plaintiff,

vs.

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Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree in partition and an order of sale of the Circuit Court of the County of Iron, State of Missouri, made in the above entitled cause at the April term, 1920, thereof, I, the undersigned Sheriff of the County of Iron, and State of Missouri, will, on

Tuesday, October 5th, 1920,

between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the courthouse in the City of Ironton, in the County of Iron and State of Missouri, and during the session of the regular October term of the Circuit Court for the year 1920, sell, at public vendue, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in Iron County, Missouri, to wit:

The north half of lot two (2) of the northwest quarter of section nineteen (19), township thirty-three (33), north, range four (4) east of the 6th P. M., containing 48.38 acres.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

W. H. BLUE, Sheriff Iron County, Mo., Ironton, Mo., September 7, 1920.